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## TERSE TALES OF THE TOWN

## Moneys Paid Out—

City Treasurer Thomas Dealey has paid out the sum of \$33,834 already this first quarter.

## Stole a Tub—

Somebody who wanted a tub pretty badly entered the basement of Alsie Fox's residence and took their wash tub.

## Will Stay—

Mrs. E. C. Holden will remain in Astoria for a week or more, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Callender.

## Cut Foot With An Ax—

A. Karnovian, of Clatskanie, is at St. Mary's hospital with a bad cut in one of his feet, caused by a blow from an ax. He was cutting brush and the ax slipped.

## In Probate Court—

In the estate of John Smith in probate court yesterday the administrator asked leave to sell certain realty and an order to this effect was made. The sale will be private, on April 12.

## Flags At Half Mast—

In accordance with an order from the school authorities the flags on the city school houses were placed at half mast yesterday in honor of the late E. C. Holden, whose funeral was held yesterday.

## Visiting Clergyman—

Last evening, at the First Baptist church, on Exchange street, Rev. E. Scherstrom preached in the Swedish language to a large congregation, and will be in that pulpit again this evening. He is said to be a preacher of brilliant attainments and his sermons are well appreciated by those familiar with the language.

## The Sunday Hike—

First Company, Coast Artillery Corps, of this city, with Captain Abercrombie and Lieutenants Knobloch and Sutton, left out on their "hike" Sunday morning last at 9:45 o'clock, and marched to the Bartoldus ranch on Young's River; went through a lot of field maneuvers, field drills and a sham battle, ate a hearty lunch, hiked back to the city, and enjoyed every single minute of the military excursion. Tomorrow evening the boys will meet at the armory for roll-call and then disperse, as very many of them desire to attend the play of "Alabama" to be given at the Astoria Theatre in behalf of the Ladies of the G. A. R.

## THAT

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## Hurt At Mill—

Carl Moberg, an employee at the Hammond mill, had one of his legs badly injured yesterday afternoon and at first it was feared it was broken. Dr. Estes treated the injury and stated last evening that probably the leg is not broken, though very badly bruised. A year ago Moberg broke his other leg.

## Various Drunks—

In police court yesterday there were various drunks, and one of them was a soldier from Ft. Stevens, a decent looking fellow. He explained that he had gotten drunk down around the fort and had come up to Astoria for reasons unknown to himself. But he was reasonably sure he had not gotten any drink here on Sunday. Belle Tilly, a colored woman, was also accused of having had too much, but she, too, wasn't a Sunday violator. She was arrested Saturday night. Dominic Grace, an Italian, was drunk, but why, when or where didn't come out in the evidence. Others forfeited their bonds. It is known that at least one or two saloons were open on Sunday, though most of the better class saloonkeepers are abiding by the law cheerfully.

## Peterson May Live—

Nels Peterson, the man who was hit with an ax, is still in about the same condition at St. Mary's, though if anything he was yesterday a little better. How the man has managed to live is almost a puzzle. The ax cut and crashed through his thick skull, making an incision over three inches long; the ax sank in well on top of the head, and from there the skull is cracked clear back to the base. In other words, the man's skull is almost split in two, and besides this, the blow from the ax on the back was a terrible one. It missed the spinal cord only by an inch or so. Davis, the man who wielded the ax, is still in the city jail and thus far has passed his imprisonment comfortably enough. Naturally he is hoping that Peterson will recover.

## "Billy" Dugan Is No More—

The news came down from Portland yesterday of the death in that city at midnight on Saturday last, of tuberculosis, at St. Vincent's hospital, of William F. Dugan, known all over Oregon as "Billy" Dugan ex-plumber, newspaperman, and around good fellow. He left this city a few months ago, after a stay here of 15 months, during which time he was engaged on this paper as reporter and telegraph editor. He was well known here, and liked wherever he was known. He was one of those gentlemanly, honest, witty, clean-souled Irishmen that count their friends by the range of their acquaintances and who kept them always by the sheer goodness of nature which was his commanding characteristic. Those who knew him longest loved him best for he wore on one and won completely; and his jolly quip and jest and infinite good humor will always be the standard by which kindly memory of him will be gauged, and man a man on this coast will recall him with genuine and lasting friendliness. He will be buried from the Cathedral at Portland this morning.

## "The Matchmaker" a Funmaker—

Jerrold Shepherd's rich comedy "The Matchmaker," in the hands of Daniel Sully at the Astoria Theater on Sunday night last, lost nothing of its charm by reason of the very inadequate house that greeted it. Mr. Sully never lets anything of that nature interfere with this splendid work as an actor and star. The homely, simple, beautiful play was carried out to the letter and those who were in attendance enjoyed every scintilla of it. He was well supported in the main, especially by Miss Eleanor Franklin and Miss Gertrude Earle, as Margaret Manning and Dollie, respectively; and by Fred J. Harvey as Pierre Wolfe, the half-breed; these characters were inimitable, and added distinctly to the zest and color of the presentation. Miss Kate Toncray's Silent Ann was exceedingly well done, as was Mary Cagwin's Mrs. Wellington. The rich humor of Father Daley was the life of the play although it was offered in the quietest way possible by the genial priest. The story is one to hold the deepest interest without flagging and is in fine hands all through.

## The Man Who Eats.

The man who eats does so with the expectation of being satisfied. To this end he seeks the best possible place to gratify his normal appetite at most rational expense. These things account for the steady stream of people to and from the portals of the Palace Restaurant in this city. The reputation of the Palace is founded immovably upon the certainty and amplitude of the service it renders to every purse, and appetite, big and little. Open day and night. Commercial streets, opposite the Page building.

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## PERSONAL MENTION

Andrew Doonan, Sr., the well known rancher of Bear Creek, was in the city yesterday on a business quest.

W. S. Rockhill of Portland, the well known paper drummer for Blake-McFall Company, was in the city yesterday in the interest of his house.

W. Thompson of Portland spent the day in this city yesterday and was quartered at the Occident.

F. A. Borchert of San Francisco was among the business visitors in Astoria yesterday.

H. J. Rupert of Portland was a business visitor in this city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Goldman of Evanston, Ind., were in this city yesterday and were registered at the Occident.

Mrs. Arthur Hess and son have gone to Portland on a visit to Mrs. T. E. Stanfield and others, for a period of two weeks.

Mrs. M. E. Muckler, who was well known as one of the leading employees of Simington Dry Goods Co., has gone to Portland to accept another position. She left on last evening's train.

J. B. Resler, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hilliard of this city, will depart on this morning's express for Stanton, Mich., for a visit with their home people.

Antero Ahde, a Finnish journalist, has just arrived from New York, to assume editorial charge of the well known socialist-democratic paper, Toveri, in this city. Mr. Ahde is evidently a man of culture and experience and the Toveri is likely to become very popular with its clientele on the score of his connection with the paper.

## REALTY TRANSFERS

John Erickson to Ida Erickson, lots 13-16, block 47 Taylor's; \$5.

Adolph G. Ott and wife to Ruth S. Carter, east 30 feet of lot 7, block 2, Ocean Grove Annex; \$10.

W. C. Smith and wife to Anne E. Johnstone, lots 10 and 11, block 28, The Plaza; \$500.

Astoria Abstract Title & Trust Co. to Matti Maki, lots 18, 19 and 22, block 58, Adairs; \$700.

Charles Haglund and wife to John H. Lunijarvi and wife, lot 9, S. 35, T. 9 N., R. 7 W.; \$4500.

## Officers Are Back—

Police Officers Linville, Houghton and Thompson returned last night from Portland, where they went last week as witnesses in a criminal trial, the case of the state against Hans Goodager, charged with murder. The officers were kept waiting until yesterday, when they were placed on the stand, all having more or less knowledge of the dead man, Moe. The defense wished to show by the officers that they knew Moe to have been of a quarrelsome nature and they were permitted to testify as to his general reputation. They had a good rest on their several days' vacation.

## Gets Gold Watch—

The Bungalow theater last night gave away a fine gold watch. Tom Piittari of 253 Astor street, being the lucky party. Other presents will be given away during the next two weeks. The house was crowded during all the performances and a splendid show was given.

## A Gala Wedding—

A notable wedding was that of Axel G. Backlund and Miss Dora Marie Larson at the church in Uppertown Sunday night, the ceremony being performed by the Rev. Gustaf Rydquist. Both the bride and groom have been prominent in the work of the First Lutheran Church and the wedding Sunday night was attended by many. After the wedding ceremony the guests attended a banquet and had merry time in the basement. The young couple are very well known in Astoria and they will continue to make their home here, where they start out with the best wishes of many.

## CRUSHED UNDER WEIGHT.

MIDDLETOWN, N. Y., March 15.—A balanced rock weighing two tons, which has been one of the curiosities in Tuxedo park, was upset by a small boy yesterday afternoon crushing him to death beneath its great weight. The victim was Frederick Cox, the four year old son of William Cox, a Park policeman. Frederick attempted to climb to the top of the rock while his little sister looked on and laughed. Suddenly the immense stone rolled over and pinned his body underneath it. It required nearly an hour's work to move the stone so the crushed form could be taken from under it.

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SEASON.

PORTLAND, March 15.—Of the \$185,750 appropriated by Congress for river and harbor improvements the sum of \$835,000 has been set aside for use in this district, according to advices received this morning at the office of Mayor J. F. McIndoe from the department at Washington. The great bulk of it will be expended at the mouth of the Columbia River and in deepening the channel from Portland to the sea. The division of the appropriation for this section has been made as follows:

Tillamook Bay and bar, \$5000; Snake River, \$5000; Columbia River from Vancouver to the mouth of the Willamette, \$5000; at the mouth of the Columbia River, \$700,000; the Columbia and Lower Willamette below Portland, \$100,000; Willamette and Yamhill Rivers, \$20,000.

Preparations are being made to resume the work of completing the jetty at the mouth of the Columbia April 1. Officials of the Columbia Contract Company, which will furnish the rock, have assured the United States engineers they will have their plant in readiness by that date. There will be 17 barges kept in service this season transporting material from Fishers quarry and they will be handled by the tugs Hercules, Daniel Kern and Samson. It is estimated that from 3000 to 3500 tons of rock daily can be delivered.

Mrs. Jalloff wishes to announce that she will be prepared to show a complete stock of first class millinery in a few days. She also expects an extensive line of new and up-to-date ladies' suits, skirts, waists and silk petticoats direct from the east.

## TO HONOR GREAT STUDENT

NE WYORK, March 15.—A committee of prominent New York physicians has under consideration the establishment of a great institution for surgical research as a memorial to the life and works of Dr. William T. Bull of this city, who died recently of cancer in Savannah, Ga. The memorial will be in the form of additional equipment for the college of physicians and surgeons, attached to Columbia University, with which Dr. Bull was so long identified.

## RAG TIME NO MORE

PINEHURST, N. C., March 15.—"Ragtime has had its funeral," said John Philip Sousa, the bandmaster, now here, discussing popular music.

before it died. It was overfed by poor nurses. Good ragtime came and then half a million imitators sprang up and as a result the people were sickened with their stuff.

"I have not played a piece of ragtime this season," continued the march king, "and its simply because the people do not want it. I used to play it. I do not discriminate between ragtime and grand opera or anything else that possesses merit. Some of the best of the old ragtime will bear as clever manipulation as Doveak bestowed on the old slavonic dance tunes."

## WRECK OF THE LOGAN

HONOLULU, March 15.—The lighthouse tender Kukui and the tugs Iroquois and Intrepid succeeded last night in moving the United States transport Logan for a short distance on the reef where the vessel has been stuck fast since Saturday night when she went aground while attempting to back into her slip. The fact that the three tugs have succeeded in pulling the big troop ship even a short distance is considered a good indication that they will be finally triumphant in their effort to drag her from the reef. No leak has developed in the hull and the vessel is well sheltered in case of a storm. If the tugs cannot move the Logan today part of her cargo will be removed.

## CAMERA CLICK

Brings Man's Memory Back To Him After Two Year Lapse.

CHICAGO, March 15.—One of the strangest cases of loss of memory in medical records has been brought to light in Milwaukee two years after it had its beginning in Chicago, according to the Tribune today.

William Childs, 35 years old, son of the late George William Childs, Jr., of Brooklyn, N. Y., has recovered his memory after having been mourned as dead and identified himself when he heard the click of a photographic camera. Two years ago he told Milwaukee authorities, "Something snapped" in his head and since that time he does not know what route he has traveled. He says it happened at a Moody institute meeting after he had been working for a Chicago firm that used cameras in its business.

Childs appeared in Milwaukee from nobody knows where. He begged the county authorities to find out who he was. They could not help him until the camera shutter focussed the sleeping memory.

A photographer was sent out to get his picture to send to those who thought he might be J. A. Oatman, a missing salesman. With the taking of the picture, the man was cured of his strange affliction.

According to the story he told the doctors, he is the son of a wealthy family in Brooklyn. He said that for years he was the chief clerk of the Anthony Photographic Supply House in New York City.

A telegram from New York stated that Childs last was heard of in Chicago before he was found in Milwaukee. It is said his father died in Seattle a year ago.



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